

BEST AVAILABLE CO

PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD

Effective December 29, 1999

Application or Docket Number

09625017

CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

(Column 1) (Column 2)

| FOR | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA |
|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| BASIC FEE | | |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 20 minus 20 = | |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | 3 minus 3 = | |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT | | |

* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

| AMENDMENT A | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA | | |
|--|---|-------|---|------------------|------|------|
| | | | | | RATE | FEES |
| Total | • 10 | Minus | • 20 | = | | |
| Independent | • 3 | Minus | • 3 | = | | |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | | |

SMALL ENTITY
TYPE OR OTHER THAN
SMALL ENTITY

| RATE | FEES | RATE | FEES |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 345.00 | | 690.00 |
| OR | | OR | |
| X\$ 9= | | X\$18= | |
| OR | | X78= | |
| X39= | | | |
| OR | | +260= | |
| +130= | | | |
| TOTAL | 548 | OR | TOTAL |

SMALL ENTITY
OTHER THAN
SMALL ENTITY

| RATE | ADDI- TIONAL FEE | RATE | ADDI- TIONAL FEE |
|--------|------------------------|--------|------------------------|
| | | | |
| X\$ 9= | | X\$18= | |
| OR | | X78= | |
| X39= | | | |
| OR | | +260= | |
| +130= | | | |
| TOTAL | ADDITIONAL FEE | OR | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE |

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

| AMENDMENT B | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA | | |
|--|---|-------|---|------------------|------|----------------|
| | | | | | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE |
| Total | • 10 | Minus | • 20 | = | | |
| Independent | • 3 | Minus | • 3 | = | | |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | | |

| RATE | ADDI- TIONAL FEE | RATE | ADDI- TIONAL FEE |
|--------|------------------------|--------|------------------------|
| | | | |
| X\$ 9= | | X\$18= | |
| OR | | X78= | |
| X39= | | | |
| OR | | +260= | |
| +130= | | | |
| TOTAL | ADDITIONAL FEE | OR | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE |

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

| AMENDMENT C | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA | | |
|--|---|-------|---|------------------|------|----------------|
| | | | | | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE |
| Total | • 20 | Minus | • 20 | = 0 | | |
| Independent | • 3 | Minus | • 3 | = 0 | | |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | | |

| RATE | ADDI- TIONAL FEE | RATE | ADDI- TIONAL FEE |
|--------|------------------------|--------|------------------------|
| | | | |
| X\$ 9= | | X\$18= | |
| OR | | X78= | |
| X39= | | | |
| OR | | +260= | |
| +130= | | | |
| TOTAL | ADDITIONAL FEE | OR | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE |

* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.

** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20."

*** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "3."

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.